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Boyd K. Rutherford Lt. Governor Larry Hogan Governor Sam Abed Secretary

July 26, 2016

Re: MDV0031028004/16-AX-01 – Prison Rape Elimination Act Training and Policy Review

Dear Potential Bidder:

The Department of Juvenile Services, an Executive Department of the State of Maryland, hereinafter called "the Department," "DJS," or "Juvenile Services," is soliciting vendors certified in Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) to review and evaluate Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) promulgated by DJS. These services will also be shared with Maryland Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services (DPSCS).

A Pre-Proposal Conference/Site Visit has been scheduled for this procurement on **August 17, 2016** at **2:00 pm**. The meeting will be held at DJS Headquarters, 2nd Floor IT Large Conference room, 120 W. Fayette Street, Baltimore, MD 21201. To ensure proper seating and materials are available to accommodate attendees, we ask that you register for this conference.

Bids are to be submitted by September 7, 2016 no later than 3:00 PM. Only bids via courier service, US Mail or hand delivery will be accepted.

You may obtain this solicitation document by accessing the eMaryland Marketplace website at https://www.emaryland.buyspeed.com/bso/. Click on Bidding Opportunities and enter the eMaryland Marketplace number MDV0031028004 to download the solicitation. Please review and submit all required documents. If you are unable to obtain a copy from our website, please call Raelene Glasgow, 410-230-3327 for assistance.

If you do not intend to respond to this procurement, please take a moment to fill out the Non-Bidders Response Form and submit it my office at 410-333-4191. This information is required by the Department of Budget and Management to ensure outreach methods were made to seek vendors for this procurement and to get feedback from vendors regarding this solicitation.

If you have any questions, please submit them in writing to Raelene Glasgow, Procurement Specialist, as soon as possible via fax or email. The Fax number is 410-333-4191 and the email address is raelene.glasgow@maryland.gov.

Toll Free: 1-888-639-7499

Sincerely,

Raelene Glasgow

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